

Interview Summary

Application No.

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Applicant(s)

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Examiner

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1646

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 19 February 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant

2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes

e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 20, 21 and 23.

Identification of prior art discussed: US Patent No. 6,440,694.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Deletion of the limitation "SEQ ID NO:7" in claim 1, line 7, obviated the 35 USC 103 rejection. Authorization was obtained to cancel non-elected claims 15-19, 24-27 and non-elected subject matter in claim 1 encompassing "SEQ ID NO:2, 3, 37, 4, 38, 25 and 26", to render calims 1, 20-21 and 23 allowable.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

/Prema M Mertz/

Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1646

Examiner's signature, if required

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.